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Case No. 31138: Application of Hunt Oil Co., for an order creating two 1920-acre drilling units comprised of Sections 1, 12 and 13, and Sections 2, 11 and 14, T.159N., R.90W., Burke County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within each drilling unit and such other and further relief.

Case No. 31139: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order for the Clear Water-Bakken Pool, Burke County, ND, to create and establish a 1920-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 23, 26 and 35, T.159N., R.90W., authorizing the drilling of a total not to exceed four wells on said proposed 1920-acre spacing unit and such further relief as appropriate.

Case No. 31140: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order for the Alexandria-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, as follows: (i) create and establish three overlapping 1920-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 6, 7 and 18, Sections 20, 29 and 32, Sections 21, 28 and 33, T.161N., R.100W., authorizing the drilling of a total not to exceed four wells on each proposed overlapping 1920-acre spacing unit; and, (ii) create and establish an overlapping 1920-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 22, 27 and 34, T.161N., R.100W., authorizing the drilling of a total not to exceed two wells on said proposed overlapping 1920-acre spacing unit; and such further relief as appropriate.

Case No. 31141: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order for the Smoky Butte-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, to create and establish four overlapping 1920-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 5, 8 and 17, Sections 6, 7 and 18, Sections 19, 30 and 31, and Sections 20, 29 and 32, T.160N., R.100W., authorizing the

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drilling of a total not to exceed four wells on each proposed overlapping 1920-acre spacing unit, and such further relief as appropriate.

Case No. 31142: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order for the Sioux Trail-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, to create and establish three overlapping 1920-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 1, 12 and 13, Sections 2, 11 and 14, and Sections 23, 26 and 35, T.160N., R.101W., authorizing the drilling of a total not to exceed four wells on each proposed overlapping 1920-acre spacing unit, and such further relief as appropriate.

Case No. 31143: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order for the Dimond-Bakken Pool and/or Vanville-Bakken Pool, Burke County, ND, as follows: (i) create and establish a 1920-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 23, 26 and 35, T.160N., R.90W., authorizing the drilling of a total not to exceed four wells on said proposed 1920-acre spacing unit; and, (ii) create and establish two overlapping 1920-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 3, 10 and 15, and Sections 9, 16 and 21, T.159N., R.90W., authorizing the drilling of a total not to exceed four wells on each proposed overlapping 1920-acre spacing unit, and such further relief as appropriate.

Case No. 31049: (Continued) Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order amending the field rules for the Parshall-Bakken Pool, Mountrail County, ND, so as to create and establish the following: (i) an overlapping 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 25 and 36, T.155N., R.90W., authorizing the drilling of a total not to exceed two wells on said proposed overlapping 1280-acre spacing unit; and (ii) an overlapping 2560-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 25 and 36, T.155N., R.90W. and Sections 30 and 31, T.155N., R.89W., authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well on or near the section line between existing spacing units on said proposed overlapping 2560-acre spacing unit, and/or such other and further relief as appropriate.

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Case No. 31144: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order authorizing an exception to the current requirements of NDAC Section 43-02-03-21 relative to monitoring and maintaining hydrostatic pressure as required in said rule for two wells producing from a spacing unit described as Sections 8 and 17, T.146N., R.96W., operated by the applicant in the Rattlesnake Point-Bakken Pool and such other and further relief.

Case No. 31145: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order authorizing an exception to the current requirements of NDAC Section 43-02-03-21 relative to monitoring and maintaining hydrostatic pressure as required in said rule for two wells producing from a spacing unit described as Sections 7 and 18, T.146N., R.96W., operated by the applicant in the Rattlesnake Point-Bakken Pool and such other and further relief.

Case No. 31146: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order authorizing an exception to the current requirements of NDAC Section 43-02-03-21 relative to monitoring and maintaining hydrostatic pressure as required in said rule for two wells producing from a spacing unit described as Section 31, T.147N., R.96W., and Section 6, T.146N., R.96W., operated by the applicant in the Rattlesnake Point-Bakken Pool and such other and further relief.

Case No. 31147: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order authorizing an exception to the current requirements of NDAC Section 43-02-03-21 relative to monitoring and maintaining hydrostatic pressure as required in said rule for two wells producing from a spacing unit described as Section 31, T.147N., R.96W., and Sections 6, 7 and 18, T.146N., R.96W., operated by the applicant in the Rattlesnake Point-Bakken Pool and such other and further relief.

Case No. 31148: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order amending the field rules for the Grinnell-Bakken Pool and/or West Capa-Bakken Pool, Williams County, ND, as follows: (i)

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authorizing the drilling, completing and producing of a horizontal well with the lateral located approximately 394 feet from the west line and authorizing the drilling, completing and producing of a horizontal well with the lateral located approximately 409 feet from the west line on an existing 2560-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 4, 9, 16 and 21, T.154N., R.96W.; and, (ii) authorizing the drilling, completing and producing of a horizontal well with the lateral located approximately 384 feet from the east line and authorizing the drilling, completing and producing of a horizontal well with the lateral located approximately 400 feet from the east line of an existing 2560-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 5, 8, 17 and 20, T.154N., R.96W., and such other and further relief.

Case No. 31149: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order for the West Capa-Bakken Pool and/or Grinnell-Bakken Pool, Williams and McKenzie Counties, ND, to create and establish two overlapping 2560-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 27 and 34, T.155N., R.97W. and Sections 3 and 10, T.154N., R.97W.; and, Sections 2, 11, 14 and 23, T.154N., R.97W., authorizing the drilling of a total not to exceed four wells well on each proposed overlapping 2560-acre spacing unit and such further relief as appropriate.

Case No. 31150: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order permitting the use of casing, laid on the ground, for the purpose of pumping hydraulic fracturing fluid between two specific well pads located in Section 14 and Section 13, T.156N., R.99W., East Fork Field, Williams County, ND, and allowing casing to be installed from the pad of the following wells: Christopherson 5-14H well (File No. 40557); Christopherson 6-14H well (File No. 40638); Christopherson 7-14H well (File No. 40640); Vandenberg 4-35H well (File No. 40636); Vandenberg 5-35H well (File No. 40637); Vandenberg 6-35H well (File No. 40639); and, Vandenberg 7-35HSL well (File No. 40641), located in the SW/4SE/4 of Section 14, , T.156N., R.99W, connected to the pad of the following wells: Carpenter 2-13H well (File No.

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40670); Carpenter 3-13H well (File No. 40671); Carpenter 4-13H well (File No. 40672); Carpenter 5-13H well (File No. 40673); Carpenter 6-13H well (File No. 40674); Carpenter 7-13HSL well (File No. 40675); Sandhill 2-24H well (File No. 40661); Sandhill 3-24H well (File No. 40551); Sandhill 4-24H well (File No. 40662); Sandhill 5-24H well (File No. 40663); Sandhill 6-24H well (File No. 40664); and, Sandhill 7-24HSL well (File No. 40665), located in the SESW of Section 13, T.156N., R.99W., and such further relief as appropriate.

Case No. 31151: In the matter of a hearing called on a motion of the Commission to consider the temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the West Dry Creek 1H well (File No. 39417), located in the SWNE Section 12, T.160N., R.85W., Renville County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Sparrow Oil & Gas LLC

Case No. 31152: In the matter of a hearing called on a motion of the Commission to consider the application of Select Water Solutions, LLC for an order authorizing the drilling of a saltwater disposal well to be utilized for fracture injection into the Dakota Group in a well to be known as the McKenzie G&I 19-1 well, to be located in the NESW of Section 19, T.150N., R.99W., South Tobacco Garden Field, McKenzie County, ND, pursuant to NDAC chapter 43-02-05, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31153: In the matter of a hearing called on a motion of the Commission to determine the amount of bond to be required of Select Water Solutions, LLC for the McKenzie G&I 19-1 well to be drilled in the NESW of Section 19, T.150N., R.99W., South Tobacco Garden Field, McKenzie County, ND, to be utilized for fracture injection into the Dakota Group, pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-15, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 29868: (Reconsideration) Application of Spotted Hawk Development, LLC for an order amending the field rules for the Van Hook-Bakken Pool, McLean and Dunn Counties, ND, so as to

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create and establish an overlapping 3520-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and N/2 of Section 21, T.150N., R.91W., authorizing the drilling of a total not to exceed eight horizontal wells on said proposed overlapping 3520-acre spacing unit, and such other and further relief as appropriate.

- Case No. 30714: (Continued) On a motion of the Commission to consider the proper spacing for the development of the Bar Butte-Bakken Pool, Williams County, ND, redefine the limits of the field, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. KODA Resources Operating, LLC
- Case No. 30854: (Continued) Application of WPX Energy Williston, LLC for an order for the Heart Butte-Bakken Pool and/or Wolf Bay-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, to create and establish an overlapping 2880-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 29, 30, 31 and 32, and the W/2W/2 of Sections 28 and 33, T.147N., R.92W., authorizing the drilling of a total not to exceed seventeen wells on said proposed overlapping 2880-acre spacing unit and such further relief as appropriate.
- Case No. 30921: (Continued) In the matter of the petition for a risk penalty of SOGC, Inc. requesting an order authorizing the recovery of a risk penalty from certain non-participating owners, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 in the drilling and completing of the Porcupine 4-19H well (File No. 37327) located in a spacing unit described as Sections 18 and 19, T.146N., R.97W., Little Knife-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 30922: (Continued) In the matter of the petition for a risk penalty of SOGC, Inc. requesting an order authorizing the recovery of a risk penalty from certain non-participating owners, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 in the drilling and completing of the Porcupine 5-19H well (File No. 37326) located in a spacing unit described as Sections 18 and 19, T.146N., R.97W., Little Knife-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, and such other relief as

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is appropriate.

Case No. (Continued) In the matter of the petition for a risk penalty of
30923: SOGC, Inc. requesting an order authorizing the recovery of a risk penalty from certain non-participating owners, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 in the drilling and completing of the Porcupine 6-19H well (File No. 37325) located in a spacing unit described as Sections 18 and 19, T.146N., R.97W., Little Knife-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. Application of Sustainable Projects Group Inc. for an order
31154: pursuant to NDAC § 43- 02-03-51 et seq. authorizing the construction of a treating plant to be located in the SESE of Section 21, T.149N., R.98W., McKenzie County, ND and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. On a motion of the Commission to consider rescinding Order
31155: No. 30954 entered in Case No. 28221 which was an application of WM of North Dakota Energy Disposal Solutions, LLC for an order authorizing the drilling of a saltwater disposal well to be utilized for fracture injection into the Dakota group in the Blue Buttes #1 well, NENE of Section 35, T.151N., R.96W., Blue Buttes Field, McKenzie County, ND, pursuant to NDAC chapter 43-02-05, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. On a motion of the Commission to consider rescinding Order
31156: No. 30675 entered in Case No. 28222 which was a motion of the Commission to consider the amount of bond to be required of WM of North Dakota Energy Disposal Solutions, LLC for the Blue Buttes #1 well to be drilled in the NENE of Section 35, T.151N., R.96W., Blue Buttes Field, McKenzie County, ND, to be utilized for fracture injection into the Dakota group, pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-15, and such other relief as is appropriate.

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Case No. 31157: On a motion of the Commission to consider rescinding Order No. 30955 entered in Case No. 28223 which was an application of WM of North Dakota Energy Disposal Solutions, LLC for an order authorizing the drilling of a saltwater disposal well to be utilized for fracture injection into the Dakota group in the Blue Buttes #2 well, SWNE of Section 35, T.151N., R.96W., Blue Buttes Field, McKenzie County, ND, pursuant to NDAC chapter 43-02-05, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31158: On a motion of the Commission to consider rescinding Order No. 30677 entered in Case No. 28224 which was a motion of the Commission to consider the amount of bond to be required of WM of North Dakota Energy Disposal Solutions, LLC for the Blue Buttes #2 well to be drilled in the SWNE of Section 35, T.151N., R.96W., Blue Buttes Field, McKenzie County, ND, to be utilized for fracture injection into the Dakota group, pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-15, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31159: On a motion of the Commission to consider rescinding Order No. 30953 entered in Case No. 28220 which was an application of WM of North Dakota Energy Disposal Solutions, LLC for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-51 et seq. Authorizing the construction of a treating plant to be located in the S/2 SE/4 of Section 35, T.151N., R.96W., McKenzie County, ND, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31160: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 6, 7 and 18, T.161N., R.100W., Alexandria-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31161: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 20, 29 and 32, T.161N., R.100W., Alexandria-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND,

as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31162: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 21, 28 and 33, T.161N., R.100W., Alexandria-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31163: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 22, 27 and 34, T.161N., R.100W., Alexandria-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31164: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 5, 8 and 17, T.160N., R.100W., Smoky Butte-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31165: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 6, 7 and 18, T.160N., R.100W., Smoky Butte-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

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Case No. 31166: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 19, 30 and 31, T.160N., R.100W., Smoky Butte-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31167: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 20, 29 and 32, T.160N., R.100W., Smoky Butte-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31168: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 1, 12 and 13, T.160N., R.101W., Sioux Trail-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31169: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 2, 11 and 14, T.160N., R.101W., Sioux Trail-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31170: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 23, 26 and 35, T.160N., R.101W., Sioux Trail-Bakken Pool, Divide County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating

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production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31171: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit described as Sections 23, 26 and 35, T.160N., R.90W., Dimond-Bakken Pool, Burke County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31172: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 3, 10 and 15, T.159N., R.90W., Dimond and/or Vanville-Bakken Pool, Burke County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31173: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 9, 16 and 21, T.159N., R.90W., Vanville-Bakken Pool, Burke County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31174: Application of Hunt Oil Co. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit described as Sections 23, 26 and 35, T.159N., R.90W., Clear Water-Bakken Pool, Burke County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31175: Application of Hunt Oil Co. as provided for in NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 for an order allowing the production from the following described wells: Alexandria 161-100-23-35H- 3 well (File No. 40861); and, Alexandria 161-100-23-35H-2 well (File No. 40860), located in the NE/4 of Section 23, T.161N.,

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R.100W. to be produced into the Alexandria 24-13 Central Tank Battery or production facility, located in the SE/4 of Section 24, T.161N., R.100W., Alexandria Field, Divide County, ND, pursuant to the provisions of NDAC § 43-02-03-48.1 and such further and additional relief.

Case No. 31176: Application of Liberty Resources Management Company, LLC, as provided for in NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 for an order allowing the production from the following described wells: CO 158-92-7-6-2TFH well (File No. 35088); NM 158-92-18-19-1MBH well (File No. 35089); AZ 158-93-13-24-4MBH well (File No. 35090); and, UT 158-93-12-1-4MBH well (File No. 35709), Cottonwood and Enget Lake Fields, to be produced into a production facility at a surface location in Lot 3 of Section 18, T.158N., R.92W., Mountrail County, ND, pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-48.1 and such further relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31177: Application of XTO Energy Inc. as provided for in NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 for an order allowing all the production including treater gas and tank vapors from the following described wells: Sorenson 14X-33A well (File No. 29437); Sorenson 14X-33EXH well (File No. 29436); and, Sorenson 14X-33F well (File No. 29438), Siverston Field, McKenzie County, ND, to be commingled into the Sorenson 14X-33 CTB Central Tank Battery, all located in Section 33, T.150N., R.98W., pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-48.1 and such further relief.

Case No. 31178: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 2, 11, 14 and 23, T.154N., R.97W., West Capa and/or Grinnell-Bakken Pool, Williams and McKenzie Counties, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

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Case No. 31179: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests for wells drilled on the overlapping spacing unit described as Sections 27 and 34, T.155N., R.97W. and Sections 3 and 10, T.154N., R.97W., West Capa-Bakken Pool, Williams County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08 but not reallocating production for wells producing on other spacing units and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 31180: Application of Murfin Drilling Company, Inc. pursuant to Section 43-02-03-88.1 of the NDAC for an order of the Commission authorizing the drilling of the Steffan 1-30 SWD salt water disposal well to be located in NW/4 of Section 30, T.142N., R.97W., Willmen Field, Dunn County, ND, in the Dakota group pursuant to chapter 43-02-05 of the N.D.A.C., and providing such other and further relief.

Case No. 31181: Application of Grayson Mill Operating, LLC pursuant to §43-02-03-88.1 of NDAC for an order of the Commission authorizing the drilling of the Gibbins SWD 1 salt water disposal from a surface hole location in the LOT2 Section 1, T.152N., R.104W., to a bottom hole location in the SWSE Section 33, T.153N., R.103W., Buford Field, Williams County, ND, in the Dakota group pursuant to NDAC Chapter 43-02-05, and providing such other and further relief.

Case No. 31182: Southern Cross Ranch LLP made application to the Commission for an order authorizing the conversion of the Cinnamon Creek 44-27H well (File No. 13379), located in the SESE of Section 27, T.145N., R. 102W., McKenzie County, ND, Cinnamon Creek Field, to a freshwater well pursuant to NDAC Section 43-02-03-35.